

FEDERAL PREVAILING RATE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

CHARTER

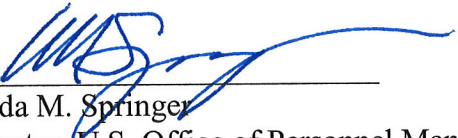
- A. **Official Designation.** The Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee.
- B. **Objectives and Scope.** The Committee shall study the prevailing rate system and other matters pertinent to the establishment of prevailing rates under 5 U.S.C. chapter 53, subchapter IV, as amended.
- C. **Duration.** There is no time limit set forth in 5 U.S.C. chapter 53, subchapter IV. The mandate of the Committee is one of a continuing nature until amended or revoked by act of Congress.
- D. **Responsible Agency Official.** The Committee makes recommendations to the Director of the U.S. Office of Personnel Management. The Chair of the Committee reports to the Director of the U.S. Office of Personnel Management.
- E. **Agency Providing Support.** U.S. Office of Personnel Management.
- F. **Committee Responsibilities.** The Committee is advisory; its primary responsibility is to study the prevailing rate system and from time to time advise the U.S. Office of Personnel Management thereon.
- G. **Estimated Annual Operating Costs in Dollars and Staff-Years.** Using current salary schedules, \$216,430 and 1.15 staff-years.

H. **Estimated Number and Frequency of Meetings.** The meeting schedule contemplated for the Committee is one meeting per quarter throughout a calendar year; more frequent meetings shall be scheduled when deemed necessary.

I. **The Committee's Termination Date.** There is no statutory termination date. The Federal Prevailing Rate Advisory Committee is permanently established by Public Law 92-392, and its charter is renewed every 2 years under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463). The Chair of the Committee serves for a 4-year term, as set forth in 5 U.S.C. 5347(a)(1). Management members of the Committee serve at the pleasure of the Director of the U.S. Office of Personnel Management. Labor membership is reviewed every 2 years to assure entitlement under the criteria set forth in 5 U.S.C. 5347(b).

J. **Date Filed.**

Approved:



Linda M. Springer
Director, U.S. Office of Personnel Management

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